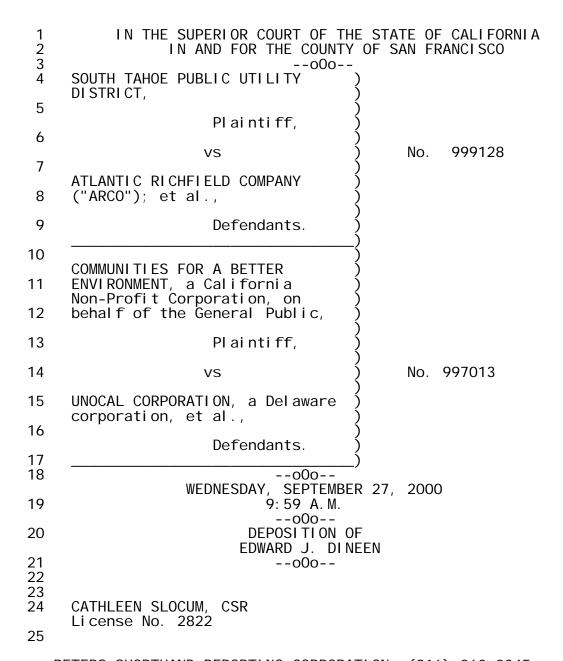
EXHIBIT 4



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- 1 MR. HOFFMAN: And it's also been noticed by
- 2 Mr. Summy in the CBE case.
- 3 MR. SHER: Then you've stated that for the
- 4 record.
- 5 Q Would you provide your, an overview of your
- 6 professional background with Lyondell?
- 7 A I -- starting with education or just starting
- 8 with Lyondell?
- 9 Q Education is a good place to start.
- 10 A I have two chemical engineering degrees, a
- 11 bachelor's and a master's as well as a master's in
- 12 finance. I started my career with ARCO Chemical,
- 13 predecessor company of Lyondell, in 1977 and began in
- 14 an engineering assignment and then progressed through
- 15 a variety of planning business assignments to my
- 16 current position.
- 17 Q What is your current position?
- 18 A Currently I'm a senior vice-president of
- 19 intermediate and performance chemicals.
- 20 Q What does intermediate and performance chemicals
- 21 refer to?
- 22 A It refers to a series of chemical product lines
- 23 that we manage on a global basis. Products we produce
- 24 from basic raw materials. So chemicals such as
- 25 propyl ene oxide, styrene monomer, MTBE, series of

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- 1 performance chemicals that go into coatings, different
- 2 applications like that.
- 3 Q What distinguishes these chemicals for which
- 4 you're responsible from other chemicals, if any, that
- 5 are produced by Lyondell?
- 6 A I'm responsible for all the business lines of
- 7 Lyondell Chemical.
- 8 Q How long have you held this position at Lyondell?
- 9 A Since March of this year.
- 10 Q Were you with Lyondell before that?
- 11 A I have been with Lyondell since Lyondell acquired
- 12 ARCO Chemical in 1998.
- 13 Q What were your previous positions with Lyondell
- 14 since '98?
- 15 A Since '98 I had one other position. I was
- 16 responsible for urethanes and performance chemicals,
- 17 part of which I'm still responsible for today. Part
- 18 of that product line was sold in March of this year.
- 19 Q What was your title in that first position?
- 20 A Senior vice-president, urethanes and performance
- 21 chemi cal s.
- 22 Q And were you responsible for chemicals including
- 23 MTBE during that time as well?
- 24 A Not in that assignment.
- 25 Q So your responsibilities over MTBE at Lyondell

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